HOW TO NAVIGATE COURSE SELECTION

for the Major Program in Public Policy
2015-2016 Calendar

NOTE: This is a suggested pathway for course selection for our program. Students must also complete degree requirements relative to their first registration session at UTSC. Please see the relevant online Academic Calendar regarding your degree requirements.

Program Requirements
Students must complete 8.0 full credits as follows:

Req. 1: 1.0 credit at the A- or B-level in Anthropology, City Studies, Geography, International Development Studies, Political Science, or Sociology. At least 0.5 credits in A-level Political Science are recommended.

We also recommend interested students take introductory courses in departments like City Studies, Economics for Management Studies, Environmental Science, International Development Studies, and Sociology that may reflect their particular substantive interests.

Req. 2: Economics for Public Policy (1.0 credit): [MGEA01H3/ECONA01H3] and [MGEA02H3/ECONA02H3] or [MGEA02H3/ECONA04H3] and [MGEA06H3/ECONA06H3]

Req. 3: Canadian Politics (1.0 credit)
POLB50Y3 Canadian Government and Politics

Req. 4: Fundamentals of Public Policy (1.0 credit)
PPGC66H3 Public Policy Making
PPGC67H3 Public Policy in Canada

Req. 5: Research Methods (1.0 credit with at least 0.5 credit in quantitative methods)Qualitative Methods courses include:
ANTC53H3 Quantitative Methods in Anthropology
MGBS11H3 Quantitative Methods in Economics
GGRA30H3 Geographic Information Systems
POLC11H3 Applied Statistics for Politics and Public Policy
STAB22H3 Statistics I

Qualitative Methods courses include:
ANTC11H3 Ethnography and the Comparative Study of Human Societies
GGSC31H3 Qualitative Geographical Methods: Place and Ethnicity
POLC29H3 Political Analysis I

Req. 6: Applications of Public Policy (3.0 credits from the following list* of Public Policy courses, or other courses with the approval of the supervisor of studies. Of these, 1.0 credit must be from C- or D-level courses in Political Science.)

CITB04H3 City Politics
CITC04H3 Municipal Planning Law in Ontario
CITC17H3 Urban Social Policy
CITC12H3 City Structures and City Choices: Local Government, Management, and Policymaking
CITC15H3 Taxing and Spending: Public Finances in Canadian Cities
CITC16H3 Planning and Governing the Metropolis
CITC18H3 Urban Transportation Policy Analysis
MGBS11H3/ECONB33H3 Public Decision Making
MGBE32H3/ECONB33H3 Economic Aspects of Public Policy
MGBS31H3/ECONB31H3 Economics of the Public Sector: Taxation
MGBS32H3/ECONB32H3 Economics of the Public Sector: Expenditures
MGBS34H3/ECONB34H3 Economics of Health Care
MGBS38H3/ECONB38H3 The Economics of Canadian Public Policy
MGBS91H3/ECONB91H3 Economics and Government
GGSC13H3 Urban Political Geography
HILB40H3 Health Policy and Health Systems
HILC43H3 Politics of Canadian Health Policy
IDSB01H3 Political Economy of International Development
IDSB04H3 Introduction to International/Global Health
MGSC03H3/MGTG42H3 Public Management
MGSC05H3/MGTG43H3 The Changing World of Business – Government Relations
POLC36H3 Law and Public Policy
POLC38H3 Canadian Environmental Policy
POLC44H3 Intergovernmental Relations in Canada
POLC57H3 Intergovernmental Relations and Public Policy
POLC63H3 Political Strategy
POLC83H3 Applications of American Foreign Policy
POLB39H3 Public Policies in the United States
POLD50H3 Political Interests, Political Identity, and Public Policy
POLD59H3 Immigration and Canadian Political Development
POLD67H3 The Limits of Rationality
POLD89H3 Global Environmental Politics
POLD90H3 Public Policy and Human Development in the Global South
PPGE44H3 Comparative Public Policy
SOCB47H3 Social Inequality
SOCB37H3 Environment and Society

* Many of these courses have prerequisites, please plan accordingly. In addition, we recommend taking methods courses from within your disciplinary major program.